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LEGISLATORS TIRED.

Members of Congress Getting Very Weary.

THE DAY PRACTICALLY WASTED.

In the Senate the American Merchant Marine is Discussed and The House Moves Without a Quorum.

By the Associated Press.]

WASHINGTON, July 11.—Mr. Wilson, of Iowa, offered a resolution which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. It calls on the Secretary of State for information on the subject of an American citizen, Thomas J. Collins, being deprived of his rights, liberty and property at Manila, Philippine Islands. The Senate then proceeded to a consideration of the Senate bill to establish a United States land court and provide for private land claims in New Mexico, Wyoming, Arizona, Utah, Nevada and Colorado.

The bill was discussed until 2 o'clock, when the shipping bills were taken up, upon which Mr. Gibson addressed the Senate. He argued against the proposed subsidies for ships, but in favor of a moderate postal subsidy. He spoke of the importance of establishing a line of ships to trade with the Congo country, building government steamships and sailing ships, and reforming the tariff by admitting the commodities from the South American States at lower rates of duty. He appealed to the chairman of the Committee on Commerce (Frye) to relax the rigidity of the policy to allow ships to be purchased abroad and sail under the American flag, to take of the tariff duties from the materials, supplies and outfits that go into the construction and sailing of such ships, and to accept as a compromise the policy of giving postal subsidies to American-built vessels.

Mr. Coke said if he has to frame a bill to place the American merchant marine on an equality with that of other nations, he would not commence with taxing the people for the payment of subsidies, but would take hold of the shipping laws of the United States and repeal them. It was simply impossible, under the existing tariff and navigation laws, to build up the foreign carrying trade of the United States, and in the cost-wise or lake trade.

Mr. Vest offered a substitute for the bill as to the American merchant marine, a provision for free ships, to be used only in foreign countries, and the foreign carrying trade of the United States, and in the cost-wise or lake trade.

The bills went over without action after an unsuccessful effort by Mr. Frye to have an agreement to vote upon them tomorrow. After an executive session, adjourned.

In the House.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—The House Committee on Military Affairs directed a favorable report on the bill to revive the rank of Lieutenant-General of the army.

A favorable report was also ordered on the bill authorizing the Secretary of War to employ twenty acting chaplains in the army.

Mr. Perkins, of Kansas, presented a conference report on the bill granting right of way across Little Falls Indian reservation to the Little Falls, Little Falls and Lake Superior Railroad.

Mr. Enloe, of Tennessee, raised the question of consideration in the interest of the private calendar.

Perkins moved that further proceedings under the call be dispensed with. Agreed to; yeas, 130; nays, 55.

The conference report was adopted. Mr. McKenna, of California, called up a private bill for the relief of Charles Murphy, of California. After a short discussion the bill passed; yeas, 100; nays, 69.

The conference report on the silver bill was submitted to the House by Mr. Conger, of Iowa.

After it was read the question of consideration was raised by Mr. Bland, of Missouri. The question was whether the House proceed to the consideration of the conference report? It resulted, yeas, 106; nays, 44.

The Speaker being unable to record a quorum, a call of the House was then ordered on a call of 154 members. More than a quorum responded to their names.

It was then agreed, on the suggestion of Mr. Blount, of Georgia, that a four hour debate be allowed tomorrow on the report, at the end of which time the previous question should be ordered.

The House then took a recess, the evening session to be for the consideration of private pension bills.

At the evening session, on the first pension bill being called up, Mr. Enloe, of Tennessee, made the point of no quorum and the House adjourned.

Mr. Paron Stevens' Diamonds.

NEWPORT, R. I., July 11.—Mrs. Paron Stevens is reported to be the victim of a heavy diamond robbery, and the detectives are now looking up the case. The amount reported missing is estimated at from \$16,000 to \$40,000. The report is thought to be exaggerated, and \$5,000 to \$8,000 is nearer the correct figure. There are some peculiar features to the case.

Killed His Employer.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 11.—Sylvanus Patterson, a prosperous farmer, near Boursville, was beaten to death with a bar by his hired man, Albert Cummings, yesterday. Cummings then tried to hang himself, but was cut down and is in jail. He is thought to be insane.

DAKOTA'S INDEPENDENTS.

They Meet at Huron and Nominate a Full Ticket.

HURON, S. D., July 11.—The Independent Convention adjourned yesterday, after nominating the following ticket: Governor, H. L. Loucks; Lieutenant Governor, B. L. Van Osdel, of Yankton; Treasurer, Frank Roberts, of Mill Brook; Auditor, Captain Lowe, of Bismarck; Secretary of State, Henry Hanson, of Harvard; Attorney General, S. W. Conrad, of Gettysburg; Superintendent of Public Instruction, E. A. Dye, of Red Field; Commissioner of Public Lands, F. F. Meyers, of Alpena;

TERrible EXPLOSION

A Lake Steamer's Boilers Cause Great Disaster.

MANY LIVES REPORTED LOST.

The Steamer Tigra, One of the Largest on Lake Michigan, Burned on the Chicago River Yesterday.

By the Associated Press.]

CHICAGO, July 11.—A frightful explosion occurred tonight on the steamer Tigra, one of the largest vessels on the great lakes.

Thirty-eight persons were aboard the steamer at the time. When the work of securing the survivors, which commenced almost instantly, was well under way, only two persons could be found who had escaped unhurt.

To make matters worse, a fire broke out on the wrecked vessel, and huge volumes of flames and smoke impeded the searchers for the dead and dying.

The bursting of the steamer's boilers was the cause of the catastrophe.

It was in the Chicago river, at the foot of Washington streets that the explosion occurred. This locality is the heart of the business section of Chicago and the explosion brought people running in terror out of the tall buildings block away.

Most of the victims were Chicagoan stevedores, who were unloading the vessel. Only three of the Tigra's men were reported on the list.

The fire proved to be a stubborn one and made it impossible at the time to verify the report that the boilers had exploded.

A statement was current that the explosion was due to another cause, the accidental lighting of a large quantity of combustibles in the narrow confines of the Tigra's deep hold. In the hold, near the steamer's stern, was where the fire held sway, though bursts of fire could be seen, a great jagged cleft in the Tigra's decks and cabin aloft on the tall smoke stack dangled a huge frame work of timber fantastically swaying backward and forward, telling of the terrific force of the explosion, which sent it there from thirty feet below.

The Captain was at this moment called away to the wrecked portion of the vessel, which seemed gradually settling in the river. Occasionally a wailing cry was heard from the hold, as the debris as the flames permitted the police and firemen closed in towards the black hole in which the bodies of the unfortunate still lie.

Great crowds of people gathered on the neighboring bridges, docks and vessels, and watched the tragic scene being enacted on the Tigra. The immense iron hull, painted black, stretched 300 feet along the pier and a swarm of people, firemen and reporters, were clambering over her on all sides.

Eye witnesses of the explosion were busy telling the new comers the gory particulars.

It appeared that the explosion occurred just after a porter named Wm. Palmer had gone below with lighted lamps. He had scarcely reached the decks again when a fearful shock came. It was said that two hundred barrels of oil were among the cargo and that these had exploded.

Others insisted that the explosion must have been due to a lack of water in the boilers and that a second engineer, who was known to be missing, was the man whose duty it was to start the pony pumps in such an emergency. This, it was declared, would have produced just such an explosion, wrecking only one compartment of the vessel.

While the fire was still in progress an associated press reporter met the Captain of the ill-fated steamer on the forward deck. The officer consented to stop long enough in his task of straightening out the confusion prevailing to give a statement of what he knew of the wreck. Said he: "My name is Capt. A. A. Phelps. I arrived here last evening from Buffalo, in command of the Tigra, and we were unloading at this dock when the explosion took place this evening. I was in the freight shed on the deck when I heard a terrific noise, and running out saw the north quarter of the vessel enveloped in steam. All of the crew of twenty-five men were either aboard at the time, or were on the dock in the freight house. I found, after a careful search, that all but three were accounted for and safe. Those three and all who were on the dock, were the second engineer, George Haid, the lookout, C. Levalley, and a deck hand, Wm. Cuthbert. Besides the three missing, who belonged to the crew, there must have been from fifteen to sixteen other men killed, and probably half a dozen additional. Those were the laborers in the hold, who were doing the unloading. Eight colored men were positively stated to have been below. Six or seven others were at the hatches aiding their fellow stevedores lower down. The explosion occurred in the hold, not in the machinery or boilers, as near as I could ascertain, and was probably in some combustible freight stored there."

Up to 1:30 o'clock, nine dead bodies had been taken from the wreck and five more wounded conveyed to the hospital.

The Tigra's stern settled to the bottom of the river, but as it is not deep the decks were above surface. It is estimated that \$75,000 will cover the damage to the vessel and cargo. This amount is believed to be fully insured.

Engineer Haid and Stevedore Burns cannot live through the night. The additional names of colored stevedores supposed to have been killed are:

WALTER DUKES, HENRY WEATHERSPOON, JOHN GOFF, JACOB CHURCH, ALEX SMITH, J. BRATTON, CHAR. FOSTER.

A clearer idea of the cause of the explosion was obtained at midnight, when the boiler and cargo were examined. The boiler seemed intact. The cargo was kerosene, gasoline and cotton. The inference drawn is that the leaking of the kerosene on to the cotton generated a gas which ignited when the lanterns were taken into the hold.

Shed in California.

SACRAMENTO, July 11.—The Bee's Forest special says that during the past two weeks shed have been coming up

THE AMERICAN RIVER IN GREAT NUMBERS,

but that there is a useless destruction of them by the Chinese and Portuguese miners by placing nets across the entire river and catching the fish in great quantities at the mouth of Elder creek, and Mississippi nets have been stretched across the river for a week and the fish have been caught and salted down in barrels.

THE DISTRICT COURT.

The general public found but little of interest in the proceedings of the District Court yesterday.

Some additional testimony and a great deal of wrangling in the Bryan vs. Pinney land case took up most of the day. Further argument will be heard today.

In the suit of Holmes & Lindsey vs. Anderson a motion was made to set aside judgment and argument was had upon the point. The Court took the motion under advisement.

AFFAIRS AT YUMA.

CAPTAIN INGALLS IN FULL CHARGE OF THE TERRITORIAL PRISON.

Why the Transfer Was Deferred to July Fifth—A Complete List of the Guards and Other Attaches.

Special Correspondence of THE REPUBLICAN.

YUMA, Ariz., July 10.—Captain Ingalls is in full charge of affairs at the Prison and everything is running smoothly in that institution under the new management.

On the evening of July 4, owing to some details which had not been perfected, it was understood that Mr. Behan would be ready to turn over affairs here to Capt. F. S. Ingalls on the morning of the 5th (Saturday). Accordingly, on that day the new Superintendent, at 4 o'clock a. m., presented himself with eleven guards and was formally given control.

His first move was to relieve the man at the main gate and immediately thereafter relieved the other guards at the main gate and the respective stations could be reached, placing his own men in their stations.

The prisoners were then turned out of their cells and counted, the number being 142, including one female.

The old guards retired in good order. An inventory of the property of the Territory situated at the prison was then taken by the retiring and the incoming secretaries, and the regular routine of the prison work was resumed.

Mr. W. C. Davis, Chairman of the Board of Commissioners, was present at the transfer, none of the old board being present. On Monday, July 7, the Board of Commissioners met at which meeting there were present W. C. Davis, Chairman, and J. S. Robinson, with Mr. C. H. Brinley clerk.

The regular bills for the previous quarter were audited and allowed.

Since the turnover everything has been running in fine shape, the population of the institution being augmented by the arrival of eight new men who came from Yavapai County, one under sentence of ninety-nine years for murder.

Bob Hatch came here from Tombstone today and relieved Mr. Hartley, the Assistant Superintendent, who was the last of the old crowd, making the entire force Republican. The penitentiary is now under the control of the following officials:

W. C. Davis, Chairman of Board, Pima J. S. Robinson, Treasurer, Cochise County. A. C. Cutler, Graham County. J. H. Brinley, Secretary, Yuma County. J. H. Taggart, physician, Yuma. F. S. Ingalls, Superintendent, Yuma County. R. S. Hatch, Assistant Superintendent, Cochise County.

August Green, yard master, Yuma. Fred Ward, guard, Maricopa. C. G. Wilder, guard, Maricopa. J. M. Mason, guard, Maricopa. Alex Berry, guard, Yuma. Chas. Cowell, guard, Cochise. J. McE. Elliot, guard, Pima. Matt Flinn, guard, Pima. W. J. McCormick, guard, Apache. John Smith, guard, Graham. Cash Juhl, guard, Yuma. C. H. Brinley, guard, Yuma. A. D. Johnson, guard, Yuma. Lewis Jager, guard, Yuma.

Yuma is prosperous, and seems to take kindly to the change, save the real old moss-back Democrats, whose hearts are broken and who swear at Governor Wolfley, Attorney-General Churchill and the rest of the Republican party in Simon-pure Missouri dialect.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

LONG LIST OF VALUABLE PRIZES AWARDED TO DIVISIONS.

Thousands of Dollars Awarded in Solid Cash and the Week's Festivities Close With a Grand Band Concert.

MILWAUKEE, July 11.—The announcement of awards for the prize drills was given this afternoon in Juneau Park. The first prize, \$1,000, went to Hastings Division, No. 19, Hastings, Mich. Percentage, 93.31.

The second prize, \$800, went to Erie Division, Erie, Kans. Percentage, 92. The third, \$600, to Austin Division, No. 14, Amsterdam, N. Y. Percentage, 88.12.

The fourth, \$500, to New Albany Division, No. 15, New Albany, Ind. Percentage, 87.27.

The fifth, \$400, to Grand Rapids Division, No. 6, Grand Rapids, Mich. Percentage, 87.12.

The sixth, \$300, to Fort Dearborn Division, No. 1, Chicago. Percentage, 86.87.

The seventh, \$200, to Mary Division, No. 18, Indianapolis. Percentage, 85.31.

The eighth prize, \$100, to Red Cross Division, No. 9, St. Louis. Percentage, 80.70.

A special prize to the best Division Commander, valued at \$100, to D. Nickern, of Hastings, Mich. First Battalion prize, \$400, to Illinois Battalion, No. 10.

First Regiment Special Prize, \$100, to Division traveling longest distance from home by the shortest railroad route, Abbott Division No. 12, Fall River, Mass. Lincoln Division, No. 15, of Illinois, was awarded the prize for the exemplification of ritualistic work before the Supreme Lodge, \$100. The weeks' exercises closed tonight with a grand band concert.

Determined Tax Collectors.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 11.—According to advices received here, a number of Armenian peasants who failed to pay their taxes were burned alive by the Turkish officers.

STRUGGLE OF DEATH

A Condemned Murderer Resists Execution.

INSULTING TO THE VERY LAST.

Edward D. Gallagher Explodes the Crime of Killing Louis Mar On the Scaffold at Victoria, British Columbia.

By the Associated Press.]

VANCOUVER, July 11.—Edward D. Gallagher, the murderer of Louis Mar, was hanged this afternoon in the presence of at least 1500 people.

At 12:56 Sheriff Fleming, assisted by deputies, marched him out of his cell to the gallows. He walked steadily, but resisted going up. When he arrived up stairs he sat down and Rev. Father Schram tried to get him to make his peace with the world.

Gallagher said he was not going to be hanged and didn't care about eternity. The Sheriff told him he could say a few words to the assembled masses.

He made a short, stammering speech, saying that he was sorry to appear before them in that position.

An awful struggle then ensued, six men trying to pinion his arms.

Gallagher resisted strenuously, but after three minutes was securely fastened and his feet tied.

The Sheriff then put on the black cap and asked the condemned man whether he killed Mar.

Gallagher's last words in answer were: "None of your business."

The door was then opened, the man falling seven feet, and after eleven minutes he was dead.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

PROMOTIONS IN THE ARMY MADE YESTERDAY.

The Senate Moving In the Matter of Shortening Debate—Mr. Teller Proposes a Bicameral Convention.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—The President today sent to the Senate the following nominations: Col. Alexander J. McD. McCook, Sixth Infantry, to be Brigadier General; Major August G. Robinson, Quartermaster, to be Deputy Quartermaster General, with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.

John T. Stow was confirmed as Collector of Customs at Wilmington, Cal., today.

The President today transmitted to Congress two communications from the Secretary of State enclosing a report of the International American Conference concerning the protection of patents, trade marks and copyrights in the commerce between the American republics, and the action for the better protection of the public health against contagious diseases.

Carrying out the instructions of the Republican Senatorial caucus, Chairman Edmunds has appointed Senators Hoar, Spooner, Frye and Moody, together with Senators Aldrich, Sherman and Ingalls (Republican members of the Rules committee) to report as a caucus committee upon the question of changing the rules of the Senate, so as to provide for the closing of debate at the will of the majority and to ascertain and report how that result can be attained if deemed necessary to expedite business.

President Harrison has approved the Legislative, Judicial and Executive appropriation bill.

In the Senate, Mr. Teller introduced a joint resolution instructing President Harrison to invite the Government of the Latin Union countries, and such other nations as he may deem advisable, to join the United States in a conference to adopt some common rat between gold and silver, for the purpose of establishing an international bimetallic money. The President is to appoint not less than three nor more than five commissioners to attend such a conference. The joint resolution was referred to the finance committee.

BASE BALL IN ARIZONA.

A Tournament to be Held in Tucson During August.

The Fiesta de San Augustine to be held in Tucson in August will be a much more elaborate affair than the Phoenix feast just closed. One of the attractions proposed and one that will be liberally backed by the people of the place, will be a number of matches of base ball between nine of Tombstone, Lowell, Phoenix and Tucson. Most liberal arrangements are to be offered visiting teams in the way of accommodations and railroad fare, and Phoenix should not send her ball tossers away empty-handed, to accept the hospitality of the Tucson club.

The Phoenix nine will hold a meeting Monday evening, when full arrangements will be made to close with the proposition. They are all sure that they can with ease carry away the banner from any other club in the Territory.

Thought He Could Play.

ST. LOUIS, July 11.—C. L. L. Gage, a young man connected with the stove firm of Gage & Horton, has disappeared with \$10,000, which he collected for his mother. Gage is said to be the cause of his downfall.

LETTER BY THE PRESIDENT.

He Talks to the Farmers Through the National Grange.

CHICAGO, July 11.—The Journal this evening published a telegram under date of Carlisle, Pa., giving the text of the letter written by President Harrison in response to an invitation to attend the National Grange's exhibition. In it he says in the most important of the day, and the people should be thoroughly educated on it. As there is no doubt that the farming element is the backbone of this, or any other free government, it is necessary that it should understand this question so that they

AN AMERICAN CHURCH

Catholicism Shaking the Roman Authority.

THE ITALIAN PROPAGANDA LETS GO

Congress of American Bishops To Have a Voice in Church Government and Promotion in the Future.

By the Associated Press.]

ST. LOUIS, July 11.—A special cablegram to the Western Watchman brings the news from Rome that the propaganda has arrested the appointment of Bishop Bourke as Bishop of the combined diocese of Omaha and Cheyenne. The importance of this news arises from the fact that it is evidence that the propaganda will not sanction a Roman appointment, as against the recommendation of the Congress of American Bishops. On Bishop O'Connor's data the Bishops of the provinces were called together and sent three names to Rome from which to choose a successor. It was generally believed that Vice-General Philip Brady, of St. Louis, would receive the appointment. The Congress of Bishops will again recommend Mr. Brady. As it is, it shows unprecedented action for the American Bishops so recommending, and it is thought that it indicates that the time for the arbitrary government of the American church, and promotion in it by the Italian propaganda, has passed.

SPORTS OF THE DAY.

INTERESTING RACES REPORTED FROM WASHINGTON PARK.

The Base Ball Games Without Special Interest—A Series of Small Star Fighting News From Over the World.

WASHINGTON PARK, July 11.—First race, two-year-olds, five furlongs—Ada Pickwick won, Allen Banesecond, Annie Brown third. Time, 1:01 1/2.

Second race, one mile, three-year-olds—Phiny won, Macbeth second, Jed third. Time, 1:44.

Third race, one mile and sixteenth, 3-year-olds—Al Farrow won, Bagnage second, Santalena third. Time, 1:49 1/2.

Fourth race, one mile, 3-year-olds—Rimini won, Arundel second, Vattel third. Time, 1:43.

Fifth race, one mile, all ages—Pat Sheely won, Hornpipe second, Knafian third. Time, 1:43.

Another Pugilist Slughtered.

Boston, July 11.—Paddy Duffy, the well known pugilist, died this morning. His friends assert that he has never been well since his fight with Tom Meadows in San Francisco, in March, 1889.

Dixon Takes Down.

LONDON, July 11.—Dixon, the colored bantam, who recently defeated Wallace, refuses to fight Cal McCarthy.

Wilson Knocks Out Ward.

NEW ORLEANS, July 11.—Charles Wilson, the English kid, knocked out Tony Ward, in eight rounds, before the Olympic Club tonight, for a purse of \$400.

ON THE DIAMOND.

Games by the League and Brotherhood Clubs Yesterday.

BROOKLYN, July 11.—The league clubs played a splendidly contested game this afternoon, no errors of any kind marring the record. The Brooklyn won, and are now the leaders in the race for the pennant. Attendance, 2700. Score: Cincinnati 2, Brooklyn 9.

Boston, July 11.—The Brotherhood game this afternoon was well contested throughout. Attendance 1000. Boston 12, Pittsburg 5.

Boston, July 11.—The Boston League won today by judicious intermingling of base hits with the Chicago's mistakes. Attendance 4100. Boston 6, Chicago 0.

NEW YORK, July 11.—The New York League team today added another defeat to the Pittsburg's list. Attendance, 300. Score: New York 11, Pittsburg 7.

NEW YORK, July 11.—The Chicago Brotherhood defeated the New York at the Brotherhood Park this afternoon. Attendance, 1,700. Score: Chicago 7, New York 2.

PHILADELPHIA, July 11.—The Cleveland Brotherhood's, by their heavy batting, easily defeated the home team this afternoon. Attendance, 900. Score: Philadelphia 6, Cleveland 11.

PHILADELPHIA, July 11.—The Philadelphia League club had everything its own way with the Cleveland this afternoon. Attendance 1600. Philadelphia 10, Cleveland 2.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—Game in Oakland. San Francisco 3, Oakland 2.

A SON'S AWFUL DEED.

While Insane He Attempted to Kill a Whole Family.

NASHUA, N. H., July 11.—This morning at Warren Holt's farm house, near West Wilton, Edwin Holt, a milkman, brutally assaulted his mother, crushing her face with terrific blows. He next dragged his sick father from bed to the fire place, where he pounded his head to a jelly, killing him. In the meantime neighbors arrived and a desperate battle ensued before Holt was finally captured. Two of the neighbors were badly wounded in the fight. Had help not arrived it was the intention of Holt to murder his mother and aunt. When the Coroner arrived, the sick room presented a terrible sight. The premises were covered with blood, while the body of the father lay on the floor almost unrecognizable from the terrible pounding he had received. Last Sunday Holt called his mother to one side and told her that he had strangled, and though something should be done with him before he harmed the members of the family. Holt was taken to the asylum tonight, he being pronounced insane.

BURGESS' YACHT WINS.

He Beats the Scotch Minerva and Seafox Both.

MARBLEHEAD, Mass., July 11.—The little Scotch cutter Minerva has been beaten for the first time in these waters. It was a signal victory for Burgess to defeat last year's champion, and he also won before Seafox, with Morlin. It was a perfect yachting day. In the start the first class schooner Seafox was away from the line, being thereby badly handicapped. After rounding the yachts began windward work, and here the Morlin showed her speed. She took a leading windward position, which she held to the finish. The Mayflower fell to the last place.

In the forty-foot race, in which all the interest centered, Pappoose was first over the line, after her came Gossoon, Minerva and Centura. On the beat home Gossoon showed Minerva her old tricks, leading the procession. Minerva maneuvering all day, but failing to close the gap. Centura fell behind, as did Pappoose. Gossoon finished an easy winner.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

In Oklahoma, crops will be a total failure, and many people are leaving.

The Henry Maier Brewing Company, Philadelphia, lost \$100,000 by a loss yesterday.

Ex-Senator Thomas B. McCreary died at his home near Owensboro, Ky., last night, aged 74.

Yesterday, at Birmingham, Alabama, Alfred Cooper, colored, was hanged for the murder of Jeff Conger.

Bismarck, in an interview, says he would not have signed the Anglo-German agreement in its present form.

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